



## Horse

**Horse Committee Members:** Misty Radue, 388-6655; Amy Lewis, 580-6693; Katie Cooper, 580-9278, Dana Adams, 587-3072; Barb Barber, 282-7030; Jeff Cooper, 388-1624.

The next Horse Committee Meeting is April 17th at 6:30 pm at the Kountry Korner Kafe in Four Corners.

ATTENTION: PLEASE REMEMBER YOU MUST BE LEVEL 4 OR UP TO ATTEND THE RANCH HORSE AND COLT TO MATURITY WORKSHOPS. IF YOU HAVE NOT ASSESSED TO LEVEL 4 YET, PLEASE CONTACT A HORSE COMMITTEE MEMBER ASAP. NO NON LEVEL 4 OR UP MEMBERS WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE.

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL HORSE RELATED 4-H ACTIVITIES. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!! Helmets are ready to be picked up. Call Katie to make arrangements.

**If you haven't filled out a 2005-2006 contract yet, or haven't turned in your horse ID cards, please do so ASAP at the 4-H office. Call Katie with questions. All contracts and ID cards must be finalized by May 1st. People missing these items will be in jeopardy of not being able to show at fair!!!!**

If you assess, please contact the 4-H office to let them know. There are several discrepancies, and in order to participate in fair you must be listed in the correct level at the 4-H office.

### **Horsemanship:**

**April 15<sup>th</sup>: Tack Cleaning and Stall Cleaning.** 1-5 pm. Fairgrounds. Come and learn how to properly clean and care for your tack, and work off some of our Fairgrounds bill at the same time. Pre-register with Dana at 580-5627 by April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**April 15<sup>th</sup>: English Equitation Workshop.** 1-5 pm. Fairgrounds. Pre-register with Katie at 580-9278 by April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**April 18<sup>th</sup>: Horse Vaccinations and Worming.** A Fort Dodge representative will be presenting all of the latest information on horse vaccines and worming. Jr. Leaders to follow with additional program. 6:30pm. Building 4 at the Fairgrounds. Pre-register with Katie Holland by April 14<sup>th</sup> at 388-0829.

**April 29<sup>th</sup>: Pattern Workshop.** The Junior Leaders will be covering the in's, out's, and how's of riding a proper horsemanship pattern. Pre-register with Katie Holland at 388-0879 by April 24<sup>th</sup>.

### **Green Horse/C2M:**

**April 15 at Kountz Arena.** Yearlings from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. 2+ years old from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. Green Horse from 1:30-4:00. **CALL BARB AT 282-7030 OR 920-1968 IF YOU PLAN ON ATTENDING.**

### **Ranch Horse:**

Call Jeff at 388-1624 to pre-register.

### **Horseless Horse:**

**April 10<sup>th</sup>** at Susan Taylor's arena. 6:00-7:00 pm. PARK ON THE PAVEMENT PLEASE AND WALK DOWN TO THE BARN!!!!

## 2005 State Horse Show in Dillon May 5-7, 2006.

The 2005 State 4-H Horse Show is being held in Dillon on May 5th, 6th, and 7th, 2006. All of the regular classes will be held along with some fun classes and entertainment. The schedule will be basically the same as last year. There are beautiful buckles, great ribbons, and other prizes waiting to go home with you. Since this is a spring show, many of the horses may be hairy (no worries) and so for fun there will be a prize for the horse with the most hair. You can pick up registration information at the Gallatin County Extension Office or on-line at [www.montana4h.org](http://www.montana4h.org), click on 4H Center, projects, horse. Contact us at 582-3280 if you have any questions.

## Summer Fun in Bozeman Open Horse Show

Don't miss the "Summer Fun in Bozeman" open horse show fundraiser for the Gallatin County 4-H Horse program to be held on June 17-18, 2006 at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds. This show has been approved by the Montana State Horse Show Association and is an American Paint Horse Association special event as well as a APHA Paint Alternative Competition. Affordable fees are required depending on the classes you wish to participate in. For complete details, contact the Gallatin County MSU Extension Office at 582-3280 or 4-H leaders Christine Holland (388-0829) or Katie Cooper (580-9278) or on-line at [www.gallatinextension.com](http://www.gallatinextension.com), choose 4-H and then Summer Fun in Bozeman..